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THURSDAY, Jan. 5 1899.

STATUTE LABOR.

One of the important questions which the municipalities of the west are being brought face to face with is that of providing well-built roads at the lowest cost compatible with good work.

The South Qu'Appelle council had some discussion on this matter in 1898, and the present council may find it necessary to take some action during their term.

In nearly every part of Canada the people are discovering that the system of doing road work under road overseers is expensive and unsatisfactory. Often the work done in one year is undone the next, or a short strip is graded in one place one year and instead of continuing it the next the work is done at the other end of the division. Then, too, so far as we have discovered, contract labor is the cheapest, besides getting over the difficulty of unconnected work.

We, however, are not bringing this question up to air our beliefs, but rather to arouse discussion. We feel certain that the council would be pleased to get expressions of opinion, suggestions, facts and figures to help them in any action they may take.

We therefore offer our columns to those who may feel inclined to take up the discussion.

SCHOOL MEETING.

The annual school meeting for Qu'Appelle S. D. No. 2 will be held in the school house on Saturday next, 7th inst., at 1 p. m. J. R. Brown, the present Secy-treas., is the retiring trustee for this year. The fact that there is no agitation, no complaint against Mr. Brown is, to us satisfactory proof that he has done his duty and performed his work efficiently during his term of service.

Very often a municipality or school district loses sight of its best interests in petty personal claims, or local interests that do not make for the advantage of all. A man who has proved himself qualified for office by his satisfactory performance of the duties entrusted to him should receive the hearty and unanimous support of the electorate. It is a false idea to think that all the honor is conferred upon those who hold office as councillors or trustees. Rather should the people be thankful that there are men public spirited enough to undertake the arduous duties pertaining to such positions and give them the support and marks of appreciation due them. The school is growing rapidly and will require careful thought and skilful management to enable it to maintain its high position among the schools of the Territory. This cannot better be done than by returning men of experience who are zealous for its welfare.

Let the electors turn out, therefore, on Saturday next, and if J. R. Brown can be induced to stand return him for another term.

PENNY POSTAGE.

It has been known for some months that the system of penny postage between Great Britain and many of her Colonies would come in force on Dec. 25th, 1898, but the announcement of the extension of the system on Jan. 1st inst., to all letters passing from one point to another in Canada or the United States was a great and pleasant surprise to Canadians generally. It was a New Year's gift sure to be appreciated, and fully in accord with the many improvements made in the postal service under Hon. Mr. Mulock's able management.

It was felt to be a hardship that while a letter might be sent to London or Cape Town for two cents, one sent from here to Indian Head or Ft. Qu'Appelle would cost three cents. This cause of complaint has been removed.

These changes, together with the introduction of postal notes, the establishment of district dead letter offices and the appointment of superintendents of the railway mail service are moves in the right direction. All parties, regardless of political bias are loud in their praise of Mr. Mulock's energy.

Newspapers, however, have cause to complain of the imposition of a postage tax on all papers sent outside of a radius of ten miles.

We can only hope that this retrograde legislation will be annulled at an early date.

THE PULP INDUSTRY.

A proper subject for discussion by the commission at Washington is the exportation of wood pulp to the United States. Some steps should be taken by which Canada may reap other benefit than timber dues.

Canada holds in her own hands the controlling power. Were she to close down on this export for but a short time, it would cause a large percentage of American papers to cease issuing, and they would be glad to make terms.

As it is many large limits in this country are held by Americans. The wood is cut and shipped to the States where it is manufactured into paper by American labor. An export duty on pulp wood and free export of paper would no doubt remedy this, as it would establish factories all over the Dominion, and the Americans would be only too glad to take our goods.

The immense forests of soft wood in our northern clime are a heritage which, so far we have failed to appreciate, although our newspapers persistently keep the subject before the people.

It is to be hoped that the Dominion government will take action on the matter at an early date.

Notes.

The Canadian Gazette of London, England, says: Miss Shaw gives some useful facts and figures for the young settler in the Northwest in the letter from which we quote elsewhere, and most of the advice she gives is unquestionably sound. Note particularly, however, the testimony given to the help which awaits the new comer directly he reaches the prairie. Furnished with a letter of introduction from the high commissioner's office, he will find the officials of the land, agricultural, and immigration departments in Winnipeg ready, if necessary, to assist him to find work and to conduct him personally to the farm on which he accepts work. At every centre the local agents of the Canadian Pacific railway and the Hudson's Bay company will be equally prompt to supply information and advice. Not only so; a thoroughly welcome and much practical advice is always forthcoming for the newcomer from the "old hands" who are already settled on the land. And finally,

when after due preparation the young farmer sets to work on his own homestead, he has in the government experimental farms schools of local gardening, farming and dairy instruction, whence invaluable information and guidance can be obtained. In all these respects, in fact, he could hardly have the conditions more calculated to inspire him with hope as to the ultimate success of his farming operations.

Henderson's Manitoba Directory for 1899 is now nearing completion and the publishers expect to be able to deliver it to subscribers early in January. There is a large increase this year in the Northwest Territories, Manitoba and Winnipeg. The 1878 Winnipeg directory had 14,263 addresses. Of the names appearing on the 1898 directory only 6,274 stand good for 1899. There is a large increase in the population this year; the count has not been completed but from the present indications Winnipeg is approaching the 50,000 mark.

R. S. Alexander Killed.

The accident which befell Mr. Robert Samuel Alexander, banker, of Treherne, in the C. P. R. yards, resulted fatally. Mr. Alexander left Treherne for the city on a freight train Friday morning, intending to return home Saturday. As the train was entering the west yard about 7 o'clock in the evening he stepped out on the platform presumably to see if they were approaching the station, and in some manner slipped from the steps and was caught beneath the wheels, which passed over the toes of both feet crushing them badly. No one saw the accident and Mr. Alexander was found lying on the track by a train crew, which followed in half an hour. He was picked up and taken to the C. P. R. depot, whence he was removed to the hospital by the ambulance. Dr. Blanchard was summoned and performed an operation, amputating all the toes of the left foot and three of the right. After this Mr. Alexander rallied, but at 4:30 Saturday morning death supervened, caused, it is thought, by some internal injury. This unexpected result of the accident caused his friends, and they are many, a great shock when they were informed of the occurrence.

The late Mr. Alexander was a native of Truro, N. S., and was aged about thirty-seven years. He removed to Manitoba from the Maritime provinces some fifteen years ago, and was for several years a resident of Winnipeg. He then located at Broadway, Assa, shortly after removing to the village of Treherne, Man., where he entered the grain business, and later established a private bank. He was very successful in his business ventures at Treherne, and was very highly respected by all in that district. Mr. Alexander leaves a widow, but no children. A sister, the wife of Mr. G. H. Bulyea, M. L. A., resides at Qu'Appelle, and a brother, D. Alexander, is a resident of Killarney. Deceased was a keen lover of all legitimate sport, and for several years was an officer of the Treherne Curling Club.

Deceased leaves a large estate, besides life and accident insurances for the following amounts: New York Life, \$10,000; Canada Life, \$2,000; London Guarantee and Accident company, \$10,000; Ocean Accident and Guarantee company, \$5,000. It is also thought by friends that he carried a smaller amount in one of the benevolent societies.

Mr. G. H. Bulyea left for the east on Sunday night to attend the funeral.

15 PER CENT. DISCOUNT FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS.

WE have still a large stock of Winter Goods on hand, and in order to clear out we will make a reduction of 15 per cent for CASH or the next 30 days on all Felt Boots, Men's and Ladies' Over-shoes, Road-Wid Clothing, and General Dry Goods. We will sell out our stock of

XMAS. GOODS.

Consisting of Toys, Dolls, Gloves and Handkerchief Boxes, Work Boxes, etc., at greatly reduced prices. Our stock of

GROCERIES

is complete in every line and prices right. We have a large consignment of Oysters, and Fruit for the Christmas Trade. Highest prices paid for Butter, Eggs, and Raw Furs.

A. E. IREDALE & CO.

Qu'Appelle Valley Hotel THE ONLY LICENSED HOUSE AT FORT QU'APPELLE.

A full line of the choicest brands of Wines, Liquors, Ales, etc., is kept at the bar for the convenience of the public and visitors.

Parties seeking HEALTH OR RECREATION find the QU'APPELLE LAKES just the locality to meet their requirements, as well as a SPORTSMAN PARADISE.

ROBERT S. SMITH, Prop., Fort Qu'Appelle, N.W.T.

Change Attracts Notice I

Advertise

If you have anything of value you wish to sell use the columns of THE PROGRESS. You will save time, and in the end, money too. If what you have is not worth advertising, don't sell it.

Job Work I

We are prepared to do all kinds of Job Work with neatness and with promptness and at reasonable prices. To do business it is necessary to let people know that you are prepared to do it. It is necessary for them to deal with some one, and the person doing business in a business-like way is THE one for them. Get some Letter Heads, Note Heads, Envelopes, Bill Heads, Statement Heads, Circulars, etc., printed at THE PROGRESS office and show your business enterprise.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

RUSSIA BEGINS A CAMPAIGN IN FAVOR OF THIS ROUTE.

Russian Financiers and Diplomats Urged to Support the French Canal Scheme.

New York, Dec. 26.—A Paris dispatch says: The Herald's European edition prints the following: Russia is evidently beginning a campaign against the Nicaragua canal. The Novo Vremya publishes an article not only warmly advocating the Panama scheme, but filled with bitter dislike against the United States. The writer says the predominance of the United States had been desirable for Russia a few years ago, but all this has changed since the last war. The writer goes on to say, that having despoiled Spain, the United States has become a colonial party and an Asiatic power.

"Forgetting the Monroe doctrine, America for the Americas, implies that the other doctrine that American dominion must be confined to America. The Yankee," he says, "are now entering into open competition with us in China and Korea. They have no scruples over an alliance with their traditional enemy, England, and Japan for this purpose. For this reason Russian financiers and diplomats ought to give their support to the French under the taking when it comes to seriously discarding the neutralization of the Panama canal and placing it under the control or guarantee of the European and American powers." The writer declares that the Panama route will be more beneficial to Russia than the Nicaragua route. This latter canal, he adds, even supposing its completion possible, will be purely an American undertaking, whereas, the Panama canal remains in the hands of our allies, the French, or it may become an international enterprise with the addition of a strong American element among its shareholders. The Novo Vremya says: Russia must, therefore, be on her guard against the United States, especially in view of the enormous wealth of its Pacific shores, and the strategic position occupied by the Americans in the Sandwich, Philippine, Samoan and Mariana Islands.

A Mysterious Robbery.

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 27.—There was a mysterious robbery of the National Bank last night. The whole amount stolen being from \$25,000 to \$50,000. The janitor discovered the doors of the vault open this morning. The inner doors were opened by President Michael and Cashier Kahl, when it was found that all the gold and paper money in the bank had been carried away, although the racks of silver money were untouched. There are no marks of violence and the affair is a mystery. The exact amount taken can be told only after balancing the cash.

Sagasta's Condition.

Madrid, Dec. 27.—Although the latest bulletin regarding Senor Sagasta's condition, which was issued this evening, says that he passed a quiet day, a rumor is in circulation tonight that his respiration is much more difficult and it is feared that he will not recover.

Madrid, Dec. 27.—The cabinet at today's session discussed various matters. It is asserted that Marshalls Blanco, Campos, Primo de Rivera and Lopez Dominguez strongly oppose General Weyler's entrance into the ministry. At the close of the session the members of the cabinet went in a body to the residence of Senor Sagasta.

G. T. R. Telegraphers.

Toronto, Dec. 27.—The Grand Trunk railway telegraphers have appointed Frank L. Sergeant, grand chief Local Motion, as their representative in the approaching arbitration with the Grand Trunk management. The Grand Trunk has not named their arbitrator, but it is considered likely that E. H. Osler will be asked to officiate. If those two cannot come to an agreement when the case has been presented to them, Chamberlain Bond will be asked to name a third. The first meeting will be held here on January 6.

An Indian War Scare.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 27.—Indian Agent Anderson and Allotting Agent Humphrey, who have been trying to allot lands to several Indian reservations, peopled with 900 Indians, met with resistance, the Indians being opposed to surveys and allotments unless the government pays them for the lands. There are 1,500,000 acres on the reservation and the government intends to give the Indians no title to it. The government proposes to allot eighty acres to each Indian, and to give them nothing more. The Indians demand that they be paid about \$1,500,000 claiming that this is due them under the report made by the commission many years ago. A truce has been secured on the promise that two chiefs will be taken to Washington to see the president. Under this truce the surveys are proceeding. The Colville reservation contains a number of thriving mining towns, among them Republic, where is located the famous Republic mine.

THEY WANT OUR PULP.

The American Newspaper Publishers Association's Request.

Washington, Dec. 27.—The American Newspaper Publishers' association has presented to the Anglo-American joint high commissioners a carefully prepared argument in favor of free paper and free pulp. The following is a synopsis of the argument: The directors of the American Newspaper Publishers' association, representing 157 daily newspapers in the United States and representing the bulk of the total consumption of print paper, are in favor of free paper and free pulp. The tariff of 46 per cent on print paper is prohibitory, and we believe that the rate of \$1.95 per ton for mechanically ground wood pulp is excessive, that the American paper manufacturers need no protection, because they can manufacture paper cheaper than is done in any other part of the world, and that they are now supplying the Australian, Japanese and British markets in competition with Swedish and German manufacturers; that no print paper is brought into the United States, but during last year the export has averaged over 1,000 tons per week and that the entire revenue received from the importation of mechanically ground wood pulp was only \$41,342 last year, so that no serious question of national economy could be urged in opposition to free pulp and free paper. The American manufacturers are protected to the extent of \$1.69 per ton by reason of their proximity to their customers. The difference in the cost of transportation to market in their great guarantee of security against Canada, or any foreign country. They are also protected by reason of their ability to obtain cheaper and more convenient supplies of coal and chemicals, which, as yet, are not obtainable in the Canadian forests. The enlightened policy of New York and other states in protecting forests should be encouraged by putting Canadian pulp and paper on the free list.

A Sad Accident.

Alexandria Bay, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Yesterday noon three of the children of Charles Hagerman were playing on the ice off the North Shore of Well's Island in the St. Lawrence river when it broke and they all fell in and were drowned. A fourth child who was on shore had just warned the others and ran to the house and notified her mother. Mrs. Hagerman rushed to the scene and in her endeavors to rescue the children, broke through the ice and saw too was drowned. The little girl on the shore attracted the attention of William Watson and Charles Kenney. Kenney dove to the bottom of the river and came up with one of the children on his back. While endeavoring to climb out on the ice the little boy slipped off and went back to the bottom of the river. Kenney was then saved from a watery grave by means of a plank which Watson procured near at hand. Those drowned were: Josephine Hagerman, aged 31 years; Marsh Hagerman, aged 13 years; Adeline Hagerman, aged 10 years; Bertha Hagerman, aged 7 years. The family consisted of Charles Hagerman, his wife and nine children. Hagerman was in Canada when the drowning occurred and arrived home an hour later to take his Christmas dinner with the family. Arriving at home he went to the river and alone recovered the four bodies.

Distracted Manila.

Manila, Dec. 27.—A steamer which has arrived here from Samar reports that the Tagalog insurgents have been in possession of Calbayogan since December 10th. Business there is said to be entirely suspended, and all the Spaniards of the vicinity have sought refuge in the house of a man named Scott, an American. The insurgents threatened to attack the refugees, but refrained from doing so because it was reported that American soldiers were on their way there. One Spaniard, however, was shot and another was plucked, rescued by Scott, who rode off on a mule, and demanded the man's release in the face of an armed mob of Tagalogs, who have been looting the Visayan stores and houses, the leaders of the insurgents being unable to control them. All the efforts made to induce the Visayans to join in the revolution have been fruitless. The situation here, so far as the insurgents are concerned, is serious. The selection of a new cabinet has been entrusted to a Filipino named Madina, a rampant, irreconcilable and of unknown antecedents and a bitter opponent of Aguinaldo, especially on the question of the Spanish prisoners.

It is reported that Aguinaldo refused to release the prisoners, although the cabinet decided to accede to the request of General Otis for their release. It is rumored that Aguinaldo fled to an inaccessible region back of Cavite with a few followers, fearing assassination. This report, however, is denied, but his sudden change of base is not explained.

Bellefonte, Dec. 30.—Fuller returns from North Hastings bring the Conservative majority down to 206 with still half a dozen out-living polls to come in which will not probably materially alter the figures. This reduction, however, out of the entire increase which the conservative candidate was supposed to have made.

THE YUKON CAPITAL.

FIRST NEWS OVER THE TRAILS FROM DAWSON CITY.

Death of J. P. Cadenhead—The Population and Prices of Living Decreased Indian Murderers.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 27.—The steamer Farrallon has arrived from Alaska with a number of passengers from Dawson direct, who came out over the ice. The trail is good, and a large number of people are on the way out. Among the passengers is Jack Carr, United States mail carrier, who left Dawson November 21st. He says the population of Dawson City has materially decreased, it now being estimated at 16,000. The cost of living has also decreased, good mutton costing but a dollar. There will be no food shortage this winter. There is little hope of the mail service being kept up between Dawson and the outside world this winter. Thistle Creek, on the United States side, is attracting considerable attention, pains averaging \$25 being reported.

The execution of the four Dawson murderers, Ed Johnson, Dawson Jim, Joe Nantuck and White, has been postponed until March. November 1 was set as the day of execution. It is said that the Indians of Alaska have petitioned Governor Brady of Alaska, to go to Washington to represent them.

The body of J. P. Cadenhead, a Dominion land surveyor, was found frozen in the ice on Klondike river near Dawson on October 7. He had left Sulphur Creek the first rush of traffic. His body had broken through the ice. Unable to pull himself out, he slowly froze to death with his hands spread on the ice. Before losing consciousness he took his field notes and papers from his pockets and threw them from him so that they might be picked up and saved.

San Francisco, Dec. 27.—A special from Dawson City, dated November 14, says: Reports from all the creeks in the vicinity of Dawson City indicate that the winter product of gold will exceed that of last year by more than 100 per cent. Several persons are reported to have been frozen to death. One of these was found with his dogs in a kneeling position in his sled between Hunker and the Summit. Several steamers are in winter quarters on the upper river prepared to take advantage of the first rush of traffic. Between Dawson and Circle City there are reported the steamers Arnold and John C. Barr in safe winter quarters; the Monarch is at Circle; the Sovereign is anchored in mid-river and is certain of destruction, as are also two of the Moran fleet, the Victoria and Tacoma.

Drury Will Race.

Montreal, Dec. 26.—The National Amateur speed skating championships of America for 1899 will take place at Spring Lake, Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Jan. 9 to 26. Pitkin and Jimmie Drury, of this city, are training hard, and if they get into good shape by that time the Canadian Association will send them down to take part in the races at Poughkeepsie. Pitkin will take the long distance competitions, and Drury the short distance. Bellefleur, of Rat Portage, who was second to J. K. McCulloch, of Winnipeg, in most of the events last year, will also compete in the championships.

A Scarf-Pin His All.

New York, Dec. 28.—Thomas Q. Seabrooke, the actor, today filed a voluntary petition of bankruptcy. Seabrooke states his liabilities to be \$39,000. To offset this Seabrooke states that his only property is one scarf pin, and that this is not exempt under the law.

Murder at Havana.

Havana, Dec. 27.—Francisco Quintana, a Spanish guerrilla while walking along Goules street today, was fired at from the roof of a house and seriously wounded. During the last twenty-four hours one man has been killed and twelve have been wounded in affrays in different parts of the city, and eleven burglaries have been committed. The city is in a state of unrest. A party of colored Cubans this morning entered a wholesale grocery establishment owned by the Spanish firm of Mestre y Mena and ordered Senor Mestre to kiss the Cuban flag and to cry "Viva Cuba Libre." He refused to obey, whereupon one of the Cubans cut his head badly with a machete.

Cowichan Election.

Vancouver, Dec. 29.—The by-election in Cowichan has resulted in the re-election of Mr. W. B. Robertson, Opposition, who polled 181 votes against 127 cast in favor of Mr. C. A. Sward, the government candidate. The election was caused by the compulsory resignation of Mr. Robertson, who accepted money from the government for labor done after his election.

Hamilton, Dec. 27.—Edward Hanly, a middle-aged man, out of work, who attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a razor, was promptly removed to the hospital and is in a fair way to recovery.

A Railroad Wreck.

Trinidad, Col., Dec. 29.—The last-bound California limited train No. 4, on the Atchafalca, Topoka & Santa Fe railroad was wrecked eleven miles east of this city at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. The accident happened on a curve, and it is supposed to have been caused by the spreading of the rails. The engine, one Pullman and the dining car passed all right. The observation car, two drawing room sleepers and a composite car left the track. The wreck immediately caught fire from an explosion of gas from the composite car, and the entire four cars were burned up. Those in the composite car are reported badly injured. No one was killed, but twelve were injured. A corpse which was en route for Philadelphia, was cremated in the fire.

A Letter From Heaven.

London, Dec. 27.—A crank managed to get past the guard at St. James palace last evening and entered the building. When asked his business he stated that he desired to see the Prince of Wales, adding that he was the bearer of a letter from Christ. The attendant saw that they had to deal with a madman and tried to get him to leave quietly. The man insisted that he must see the prince and he was only stopped when he was threatened with a loaded rifle. Then he became violent. The police were summoned and it took eight of them to bind the intruder, who was fought desperately. After he was bound he was placed in an ambulance and conveyed to a police station, where physicians pronounced him a lunatic.

M. ZOLA IN LONDON.

A Deserter From Vienna Is Decapitated—Don Carlos Opens Negotiations In Spain for a Loan.

London, Dec. 28.—The Exchange Telegram company makes the announcement that Emil Zola, accompanied by his secretaries, arrived in London this morning.

Vienna, Dec. 28.—The body of Franziska Hofer, an unfortunate woman, has been found in her apartment, skillfully decapitated by an unknown "Jack the Ripper." Only recently, similar work on women in Amsterdam and Brussels occurred, and the police entertained the theory that a man among "rippers" has occurred. Madrid, Dec. 28.—The greatest interest and curiosity is taken today in the long audience which General Weyler had with the Queen Regent yesterday. The newspapers here, while sympathizing with Premier Sagasta, say the country cannot be sacrificed on account of his illness, and an immediate arrangement of the ministerial crisis is demanded. The newspapers also say that Don Carlos is now going to place a loan in Spain, through numerous agents, adding that he opened negotiations yesterday in Madrid with this object in view.

London, Dec. 28.—Part of Red Rock Mountain, according to a dispatch from Airolo—a village of Switzerland, canton of Ticino—has fallen into Airolo, destroying a hotel and several houses. Three persons were injured. The Canadian Association will send the Canadian railroad tunnel. It has a population of about 1,700.

London, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Saunders, who was the claimant for the sum of \$20,000,000 left by an uncle named Lank, who died intestate in America, died recently at Portlough, Wales.

London, Dec. 28.—It is learned today that a commission will be appointed in February to arrange the details for carrying out the project of a Pacific cable, as outlined by Sanford Fleming, of Ottawa.

London, Dec. 28.—Sir Charles Dilke interviewed in Paris today, says he anticipates an amicable settlement of the Newfoundland question.

London, Dec. 28.—The Klondike Mining, Trading and Transporting company, of which Sir Charles Dilke is chairman, has just issued its report from the end of July, 1897, to the end of November, 1898. The loss on trading was nearly \$27,000, the loss in connection with the Trail route accounting for \$24,000 of this. Against the loss stands an asset shares in other companies, whose nominal value amounts to \$47,500.

Two Frenchmen Fight a Duel.

New York, Dec. 27.—A dispatch to the Herald from Paris says: The duel with swords between Max Regis, mayor of Algiers, and M. L. Pic, one of the editors of Les Droits de l'Homme, took place at 5 o'clock this morning at Brieux. Max Regis attacked his opponent with fury and M. Lepied defended himself with energy. Six rounds were fought and then the two combatants were so played out that the duel had to be brought to an end.

Slashed a Detective.

Montreal, Dec. 27.—Detectives Riopelle and Guerin, of the city force, were shadowing three burglars when one of the burglars named Dupont discovered Riopelle. Dupont at once drew a large sailor's knife and slashed the detective about the head severely several times, inflicting terrible injuries. Dupont was caught by Guerin before he could escape. Riopelle's wounds are serious.

WILL WHISPER TO THE CZAR.

Grand Duke Vladimir of Russia to Report on China.

San Francisco, Dec. 28.—It has been announced that Grand Duke Cyril Vladimirovich of Russia, who is a guest at the Palace hotel, having arrived from the Orient yesterday on the steamship China, is on a tour around the world as a representative of the Czar in the interests of a general disarmament of powers. This is not so. The prince has been stationed in China during the two years last past, engaged in naval duty. He is now en route home. Although it is not officially announced, there can be no doubt that the prince carries to the czar full reports upon the conditions now existing in China, with reference to the operations of the great powers. For several years Russia has maintained a powerful fleet of warships in the Orient, and for nearly two the grand duke has been studying the situation. He holds a commission as lieutenant in the navy.

Beyond any question the future policy of Russia concerning the Oriental situation will depend largely upon the grand duke's report. During the stay of Prince Cyril in the Orient he visited Manila. He was in the captured city subsequent to the battle of May 1st. He speaks in the highest terms of the achievements of the American forces. He will remain in San Francisco for two days, and will then go to Chicago and Washington, leaving New York for Europe in two weeks.

The Island of Guam.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The Island of Guam will probably be different from the other colonial possessions or dependencies of the United States in having a naval instead of a military governor. The reason is that the sole reason for the selection and acquisition of the island was to obtain a conveniently located naval station for United States warships and that being the case the navy should have exclusive control. The command will be of importance, for the island has a population of more than 8,000 people and so far from these being barbarians, about 1,400 of them are of European extraction.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Dec. 30.—Wheat receipts 187,855 bushels; exports, 349,474 bushels. Chicago, Dec. 30.—Wheat, Dec. 28, 71 1/2; July 67 1/2. Corn—Dec. 27 1/2; May 54 1/2; July 52 1/2. Oats—Dec. 27 1/2; May 28 1/2. Rye—Jan. 28 1/2; May 28 1/2. Pork—Dec. 28 1/2; Jan. 28 1/2; May 28 1/2. Lard—Jan. 28 1/2; May 28 1/2.

WINNIPEG MARKETS.

Wheat—No. 1 hard, Fort William, 68 1/2; Flour—Patent, \$1.95; strong bakers, \$1.75; second bakers, \$1.65; XXXX, per sack of 48 lbs., \$1.05. Discount of 5c per bushel. Oats—Car lots of rolled about \$1.00 for 30 lbs. sacks. Barley—25c per bushel. Oats—25c per bushel. Wheat—Good milling, 50c. Chicken feed, 25 to 30c per bushel of 50 lbs. Flaxseed—50c per bushel. Corn—Car lots on track here, 41 to 42c per bushel. Alfalfa—Brass, \$1.10, and shorts \$1.00 per ton in bulk; large lots, 50c per ton less. Ground Feed—Good old chop, \$1.75 to \$1.90 per ton; mixed barley and oats, \$1.75 to \$1.90; and wheat mixtures, \$1.85 to \$1.90. Butter—Creamery, 20 to 22c; dairy, 18 to 19c. Cheese—Large, 9c; small, 10c. Eggs—Manitoba fresh or good Ontario fresh, limited, 15c to 17c; fresh, 25c. Dressed Meats—Beef, 5c to 6c; mutton, 7c to 8c; lamb, 8c to 9c; pork, 10c to 12c; veal, 5c to 7c. Poultry—Spring chickens 9c to 10c per lb. hens, 8c; turkeys 10c to 12c; ducks and geese 8c to 10c. Game—Rabbits, 5c each, or three for 25c; pigeons, 2c per pair. Vegetables—Potatoes, 40c per bushel, turnips, 15c to 20c per bushel; parsnips, 15c per lb; carrots, 4c; beets, 3c per bushel; celery, 10c per dozen; cabbage, 25 to 30c per dozen; onions, \$1.00 per bushel; Spanish onions, \$2 per crate. Hides—No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5c; kip, 4c to 5c; calf, 8c; sheepskins and lamb skins, 40 to 50c; horse hides, 75c to \$1.50 each; colts, 25c to 50c each. Wool—Nominal at 8c to 8 1/2c per lb. Tallow—No. 1, 3 1/2c; No. 2, 2 1/2c to 3c. Seneca Root—21c per pound. Hay—Baled, 4c to 5c on track here. Cattle—Butchers' grade nominal at 8c, stockers, 2 to 2 1/2c. Sheep—3 1/2c for good to prime animals; lambs, 4c. Hides—25c to \$1.00. Hogs—14 to 16c for ears here.

Sellman Brothers, of New York, declined to undertake the floating of a Russian loan.

As a rule the man who doesn't like a pun objects to it on the ground that "we condemn what we do not comprehend."

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The Progress and Vedette

QU'APPELLE, N. W. T.

THE KINETOSCOPE.

The cinematograph is utterly beautiful, but it isn't worth a cent—St. Louis Republic.

Although the people of Paris eat over 11,000 horses every year, they require horses sense very slowly, after all—Baltimore News.

Wherever a Chinese statesman begins to know too much, they chop off the end of him that he uses for knowing purposes—Denver Post.

A new telephoto lens transmits 3,000 words a minute. Talking like this—Philadelphia Times.

The powers are now practically agreed on disarmament. The only detail to be settled is who is to be disarmed—Baltimore American.

Many steamers are reported lost in the Yukon, but it isn't stated that any of them sank by being overwhelmed with gold—Nashville Tennessean.

The bicycle is almost a sole item in Paris now, and the petroleum tricycle or landau whips in and out the traffic at 20 miles an hour—London Mail.

It is to be noted that the latest concern that has consolidated with one or two other plants in the west won't sit on its product when it wants to rest—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Boston is to have in due time a woman's clubhouse on Beacon Hill. The promoters of the new building have got so far along as to vote to buy a site in that quarter of the city.

Civilization is spreading rapidly in Japan. Beer is just shipped to the country to try a trainload of alcohol to be used in the manufacture of smokeless powder and bombs.

The movement "to prevent drafts in theaters" is commendable. But let us also have one to prevent thirsts. Perhaps one to prevent frills would also be appreciated by the managers—New York Tribune.

PHILADELPHIA.

The following are a few facts which would seem to prove that Philadelphia's "glorious" is a matter of recent development, for it was surely in the vanguard of civilization at one time, judging from these statements:

The first law school in America opened in Philadelphia in 1763.

The first American flag was made at 229 Arch street, Philadelphia.

The first American volunteer fire company was organized in Philadelphia in 1730.

Philadelphia is the leading manufacturing city in the United States and the world.

The first medical school in the United States was inaugurated in Philadelphia in 1763.

The mariners' quadrant was invented by Thomas Godfrey in Germantown, Philadelphia, in 1730.

The first notes made in the United States were struck at 20 North Second street, Philadelphia, in 1776.

The Philadelphia waterworks, the first of the kind in the country, were commenced on May 2, 1799.

The first public library in the United States was the Philadelphia, founded by Benjamin Franklin in 1731.

The first expedition fitted out in North America for arctic exploration sailed from Philadelphia on March 4, 1763.

The first school of anatomy in North America was opened by Dr. William Shippen in Philadelphia on Nov. 26, 1762.

The Pennsylvania hospital, the first established in America devoted to the relief of the sick, was chartered by the assembly.

CONSUMPTION.

What a Well-Known Medical Journal Says About the King of Diseases.

"This is essentially an age of scientific progress. Science and invention go hand in hand. Thanks to a distinguished chemist consumption is relieved of the horrors, deprived of the destructiveness, and this insidious disease can be relieved and then cured."

But to accomplish a cure that is final and effective there must be constant persistency in treatment and right living. The sufferer must take the right medical relief, rightly administered. By the labor, skill and research of an eminent chemist, T. A. Schiemann, consumption can be both relieved and cured—Medical Tribune.

Three free sample bottles of the Schiemann Cure will be sent to any sufferer from consumption, long or short, or general debility, if name, address and express office are sent to T. A. Schiemann Co., Limited, 127 King street west, Toronto, Ont. This is a genuine offer, and if the reader is so kind as to send a card, a sufferer, send along for the free samples and mention this paper.

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JEWELS FOR MERMAIDS.

Gold and Diamonds at the Bottom of the Sea.

On the Cornish coast, about five miles from the Atlantic, and at this time he succeeded in recovering specie to the value of £200,000, and after paying all expenses he was able to give the duke the sum of £50,000 as his share in the venture.

As early as 1598 a great deal of treasure was recovered, including the historical golden cup which once belonged to Frederick, king of Sicily, from the wreck of one of the ships of the "Invincible armada."

In 1680 an American named William Phillips came over from Virginia to this country and craved for the assistance of Charles II toward recovering some wrecked treasures on the coast of Hispaniola. Charles provided him with a ship and the necessary funds, but the first attempt proved unsuccessful.

In a second effort he was financed by the Duke of Albemarle, and this time he succeeded in recovering specie to the value of £200,000, and after paying all expenses he was able to give the duke the sum of £50,000 as his share in the venture.

This surprising hoard, it is M. S. Luttins, wrecked in 1799 off the coast of Holland, amounted to £1,200,000, and the whole of this still remains at the bottom of the sea, with the exception of £99,859 recovered in 1829. Attempts to recover the remainder are still being made.

Diving operations resulted in the recovery of £30,000 in gold from the wreck of the ill-fated Royal Charter, which took place close to Modifera off the Angolan coast, but a vast number of diamonds are still lying about the wreck.

Forty thousand pounds in specie was recovered from the wreck of the Hamilton, Mitchell, in the Chinese sea, after lying in 23 fathoms of water for upward of 20 years, and £200,000 in gold was saved from the wreck of the Alfonso XII, which was sunk in 20 fathoms of water off the Canary islands in 1885.

Some of the French ships sunk at Trafalgar contained vast treasures. Five tons of silver plate, including the famous silver gates of St. John's cathedral, Malta, and a ton and a half of gold plate, mostly studded with jewels, the plunder of the Maltese churches, were on board one of these ships.

Not an ounce of this treasure has been recovered—London Mail.

THE PATHOS OF IT.

"I saw the most remarkable occurrence on the street the other day," said a professional man, "and it made a deep impression on me. A lady came down Bond street and stopped at the corner of Bond street. She evidently wanted to cross to the other side of the avenue. She was not a young woman and she did not look strong. There was quite a jam of vehicles in the street, motor cars, wagons and bicycles, and she seemed a little timid about crossing the passage. As she hesitated a man came up Bond street, and passed her. He was a well-dressed man and carried a heavy cane, which I noticed he used constantly as if he might be a little lame."

"Sir," said the lady to him, "can I ask you to offer me the protection of your arm in crossing the street?"

"She said this in a very sweet and lady-like way and the man with the cane touched his hat."

"Certainly, madam," he replied, and offered his arm. As they crossed the street I followed close behind them. The man walked with care, and he halted several times, but they reached the other side without mishap. As the lady let go of his arm she said:

"Thank you, sir, for your courtesy and protection."

"You are quite welcome, madam," he replied. "But I fear you overvalue my protection—because I am blind."

"And touching his hat again he turned and picked his way up the crowded sidewalk."

TAKE NOTICE.

During the year the space devoted to advertising MINARD'S LINIMENT will contain expressions of no uncertain sound from people who speak from personal experience as to the merits of this best of Household Remedies.

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TALES OF THE TURF.

The 2-year-old foal to Altriship, 2:11 1/2, has been named Kiship.

Axtell, 2:12, was named after a teacher in the public schools of Independence, Mo.

Knap McCarthy thinks June, 2:10 1/2, about the fastest stallion on the turf today.

Sea Water, the 2-year-old son of Sea King, 2:11 1/2, is 13 1/2 hands high and can show a 2:30 gait.

J. E. Huggins of the Rancho del Paso, California, has bought St. station, sire of Modler. The price reported is \$7,500.

It is not generally known that Bob Fitzsimmons owns three trotting bred horses, a fine gaited saddle and two Shetland ponies.

An eastern turf scribe says that Speedway drivers of New York have a new fad, that of occupying the left hand side of the seat.

A daughter of Star Pointer, named Marjorie Moore, owned in Merchantville, N. J., recently stepped two miles heats in 2:23 and 2:24 1/2.

Pierre Lorrillard is home from England, and it is reported that he has sold his horses in training to his former racing partner, Lord Beresford.

Charles Cochran, who was Goldsmith Maid's attendant when she was champion, is still living at Palo Alto farm and is nearly 80 years of age.

Marble stock farm, Greenville, Ill., has a 2-year-old filly that has paced a half in 1:07 1/2. The young miss is by Grand Baron—Collette, by Nutcracker.

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Don't scold the little ones if the bed is wet in the morning.

It isn't the child's fault. Weak kidneys need strengthening—that's all. You can't afford to risk delay. Neglect may entail a lifetime of suffering.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
Strengthen the Kidneys and Bladder, then all trouble ceases.

Mr. John Carson, employed at M. S. Bradt & Co.'s store, Hamilton, Ont., says:

"My little boy seven years of age has been troubled with his kidneys since birth and could not hold his water. We spent hundreds of dollars doctoring and tried many different remedies, but they were of no use. One box of Doan's Kidney Pills completely cured him."

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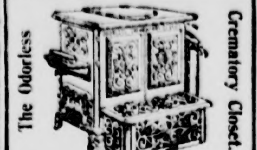
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LOCAL NEWS

Vernon Dance.

Remember the dance in the town hall on Jan. 12th, under the management of the Vernon Foot Ball Club. Ticket sellers report good sales.

Label Date.

We would beg our subscribers would notice the date on their address label this week, and if not paid to date please send in the amount.

Edgeley Concert-Dance.

A large number of our young people went out on Monday evening to the Edgeley football concert and dance, and report a most enjoyable time.

Stove Grate.

We wish to purchase a second-hand grate for a small bed-room heater, called by the makers, "Dash." If any one has such a grate and will part with it, they will oblige by letting us know.

Elk's Head.

Mr. D. Brown has in his butcher shop a very fine elk's head which he intends having mounted. The horns extend from the head a good four feet seven inches and have five branches or prongs on each horn.

Political Meeting.

A public meeting is announced to take place in the town hall, Regina, on the 9th of Jan., at 2 o'clock p.m., to discuss public questions. Nicholas Flood Davin, Premier Haultain, and others will address the meeting.

Skating.

There was a large attendance at the skating rink on Monday afternoon, owing partly to it being a holiday and partly to it being the only day for skating this week. The Curling Club need the ice for preparation and the carrying out of their bonspiel events.

The Bonspiel.

There is every prospect of the bonspiel being a success. No effort has been spared to provide proper accommodation and an interesting programme for all who come. A large crowd of onlookers is expected each day. Let us make the visitors welcome.

Brass Band.

We would suggest that some one who has an interest in getting up a band in this town call a meeting at an early date. We have sufficient talent and instruments in the town to compose a good musical combination. The necessity for a band was particularly noticeable at the carnival on Friday. Let some one take the matter up at once.

C. of E. Xmas Tree.

The children and their elders enjoyed a very pleasant evening on Wednesday last at their Xmas tree. About 100 children were present and all received a present and a bag of sweets off the tree. An equal number of older members of the congregation were present, and after the distribution of the presents and partaking of refreshments, finished the evening with a dance.

Promotions.

The following are the rest of the names of those promoted in the Qu'Appelle school examinations:

Sen. 3rd to 4th.—Pearl McCannell, James Pender, Laurie McEwen, Onelia Parker, Dan Hilliard, Tom Henley, Joe Henley. Form II. Middle 3rd to Sen. 3rd, Beattie McNaughton, Maudie Broley, Maudie Beauchamp, Winnie McCannell, Angus Benson, Garfield MacGurk, Gladys Musgrove, Eva Winter, Jr. 3rd to middle 3rd, Teddie Creamer, Marion Henley, Harry Raymond, Willie McKenzie, Dora Edmunds. Sen. 2nd to Jun. 3rd, Edith Thompson, Katie Rittenger, Billa Parrish, Nettie Price, Archie Edmunds, Pearl Bradshaw, Douglas Fraser, Douglas Edmunds, Mattie Moore, Alex McKenzie, Jun. 2nd to Sen. 2nd, Anna Caswell, Clarence Martin, Mable Morgan. Form I. Part 2 to Jun. 2nd, Tina Beauchamp, Maggie Kay and, Edith Morgan, Ruby McEwen, Lila Fyfe, Willie Hallet, Geneva Parker, Howard Price.

"Under Two Flags."

The Harold Nelson Stock Company, composed of fourteen actors, will give the above play in the town hall, here, on Monday, Jan. 9th. The acting of the company is well spoken of by the press and people of the towns in which they have appeared. They will appear here under the auspices of the Polo Club. We predict an evening's enjoyment for those who attend.

Correspondence.

Owing to some parties having expressed an uncertainty as to our willingness to publish communications, we wish to state that our columns are open for the discussion of any matter of public interest. The paper is here for the people, so ventilate your grievances, ideas, etc., if you think by so doing you will make municipal management better, or make the country better morally or financially. But, don't write personalities and expect us to publish them; and always sign your name where we can see it, even though you wish your communication to go in type above an assumed name.

Carnival.

Owing to last Friday night being cold with a strong wind blowing, there was not as much pleasure for the onlookers at the carnival as on other occasions, and for the same reason, visitors from the surrounding settlements and towns were unable to attend. However, it was a success, financially and otherwise, notwithstanding, and a number of good costumes were worn on the occasion. Besides the parties who took prizes for costume and skating, the following, we consider, worthy of mention for costume or disguise:—Mrs. W. L. Wait, Miss B. McMichael, Miss Lizzie Scott, Edna Talbot, W. Vatcher, H. J. McDonald, Charlie Booth, C. Kritzwizer, and A. H. Gordon.

COSTUMES.

E. Carthew, news boy; J. Winter, negro wench; J. Noyes, hard times; G. Winter, negro wench; W. Grieve, boot black; George MacGurk, German boy; Garfield MacGurk, German girl; Percy Gordon, Robin Hood; Anna Caswell, Red Riding Hood; J. T. Booth, Mother Goose; Steve Caswell, middy; Mrs. Barnett Harvey, Old Mother Hubbard; J. W. Wilson, gentleman of 19th century; R. Sheppard, chef; H. J. Macdonald, clown; Susie Root, old woman that lived in a shoe; Edna Talbot, Bo-peep; Edna Booth, Quakeress; H. L. Gordon, Oxonian; A. Wismer, Spaniard; Roy Trusler, outlaw; Leslie Wismer, negro clown; Mrs. W. L. Wait, night; A. H. Gordon, Gordon Highlander; D. Hilliard, THE PROGRESS; Alice Gibson, waif; Olive Gibson, nun; Charlie Booth, Texas Ranger; Bella Parrish, nurse; C. Kritzwizer, Milwaukee fat man; Miss Ivy Gordon, Roumanian peasant; Miss Mabel Scott, scarlet runner; Miss Lizzie Scott, Japanese lady; Miss B. Scott, undergraduate; Miss Beveridge, tambourine girl; Miss Lily Talbot, Fairy Queen; W. Vatcher, policeman; E. Foster, Lord Fauntleroy; W. Bestwick, aunt Sally; Miss Eva Bailey, night; Miss B. McMichael, Erin Go Bragh; Miss C. Brydon, squaw; C. L. Thring, Indian; Miss Annie Hilliard, Young Lady's Journal; Miss Minnie Broley, evening star; Miss Clara Broley, delineator; J. Sargent, jester; V. W. Barford, king of the Carnival Islands; W. Blackwell, African dude; Miss Lou Blackwell, Spider; Mrs. Egan, Geisha girl.

PRIZE WINNERS.

Lady skater, Miss B. Scott; girl skater, Miss M. Scott; gentleman skater, M. J. B. Sargent; boy skater, Jimmie Scott; lady's costume, Miss Beveridge; girl's costume, Miss Lily Talbot; gentleman's costume, Mr. V. W. Barford; boy's costume, E. Carthew; comic costume, L. Wismer; best disguise, Olive Gibson; boy's handicraft race, P. Gordon; boy's obstacle race, A. Wismer.

The committee propose holding another carnival soon, when a larger turn-out and more fun may be expected. Get your costume planned out.

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J. ROBERT BROWN, Secretary-Treasurer.

Died

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